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Previous References (LB)

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Later References

L.B. 102-35-841-10

General and Revenue Secretariat.

Serial Nos. Two.

Part B for Dec 1928.

SUBJECT

Rules for moving resolutions and interpellations framed by a Sub-Committee and approved by the D of Rd.

No. 4404 dy 20.12.28

To The P. of Rd, Ulwar

Nwd' the D/e, Ulwar

Approves of the Rules with certain modifications

MM 9/1/29.

Serial No.	
1	Letter No 4c 16 Dy 18-10-28 from the Presidt DLBd Kolar forwards for sanction two copies of the rules for moving resolutions & interpellations framed by a Subcommittee & approved by the DLBd & states that the rules published with notn. nos 5276 DLB 28-26-55 dy 5-2-27 for conduct of business at DLBd meetings was considered inadequate by the Board.
Flag A.	In Rule 1 under Resolutions, it is stated that 10 days notice is necessary to move a resolution while in Rule 8 published with the notn. dy 5-2-27, the time prescribed is 21 days for moving a resolution
	Under Rule 3 the Presidt may disallow a resolution for reasons given, but under Rule 9 published on 5-2-27 the President has not been given power & he has to submit the resolutions for selection to the Board.

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but the period of
may allow more
time
The word fine
is omitted.

The time limit circumscribed in Rule 6 seems too stringent.

Under Interpellation Rule 2 does not appear to be properly worded.

2. The draft rules sent up do not contain anything very important that is not mentioned in the Govt. Q 5.2.29 but the same may however be approved after the above mentioned differences are reconciled. or the rules proposed may be referred to the other D.C. Bds for opinion if considered necessary.

Submitted for orders,

Sd/-
07.11.28 1911.

3. Further it seems necessary to include the provisions made in Rule 6 (2) of the rules published on 5.2.29 under both Resolutions & Interpellations.

No rules seem to have been framed issued regarding interpellations in the Dist Board.

Rules for interpellation have been framed by the Bangalore

Flag A.

Flag Q.

Flag A.

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letter and copies of the Issue are not available here. Issue to be called for if required

Sd
21.11.28

4 Rule made hereby for the purpose of Section (3) of Sec 30. The Dist Bd may frame rules in regard to resolutions to be moved & interpellations to be put by members of the Dist Bd on matters other than those to be sent up by Govt. & connected with the administration of the Bd under section (2) of Sec 30. The present rules & resolutions & interpellations seem to have been framed under the earlier power.

There are similar rules for resolutions & interpellations by the Bangalore Mun'l & as required to be framed by the Mun'l Councils under that Regulation. Obtain Main copies & submit

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5. Send with a copy of the rules in the Bangalore city Mun'l Act asking for interpellation. no rules are said to have been framed for moving resolutions

Sd
29.11.28

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General and Revenue Secretariat. | File No. of 192 .

Serial No.

The Kolar District Board have sent up draft rules ~~under~~ as required under Sect 30 (2) of the Bangalore (City Board) in regard to the working of vehicles and interpretation by President on matters connected with the administration of the Board.

The draft ~~as~~ on Resolutions ~~regarding the~~ ~~[illegible]~~ ~~[illegible]~~ ~~[illegible]~~ ~~[illegible]~~ seems suitable & may perhaps be adopted with the general addition suggested to Rule 2.

In Rule 6 only 5 minutes time is allowed for ~~discussion~~ speeches. Even with the limitation, members are likely to exceed the time. It is for consideration whether 10 minutes may not be allowed. ~~and~~ power is retained to the President to extend the time in proper cases.

As regards Interpretations, the draft seems to require some amendments

For Rule 1 in the draft, Rule 1 of the Rules framed by the Bangalore Municipal may be adopted with necessary modifications as follows:—

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General and Revenue Secretariat. | File No. of 192 .

Serial No.

"1. Subject to the conditions & restrictions specified in the following rules, any member of the Board may ask questions on any matter connected with the administration of the Board".

Rule 2 may be amended as corrected in pencil in the draft.

Rule 3 may follow the phraseology of the Bang Municipal Rules.

It is also for consideration whether Rule 11 of the Bang Municipal Rules may not also be adopted as to the time within which the interpellations shall be taken up in the order of the business of the Board.

2nd Member

OFFICE OF THE SECOND MEMBER OF COUNCIL
5 DEC. 1928
No. 4743

Agree

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General and Revenue Secretariat.

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2	G. O. No L 4404 dt 20-12-28 Approves of the rules with certain modifications

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Re No. 16/28.29
Encs. Two Draft Rules and the meeting resolution

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT, DISTRICT BOARD,
KOLAR DISTRICT,

Dated, Kolar, the 18th October 1928.

From

C. B. Gopala Rao, Esquire,
President, District Board, KOLAR.

GEN. & REV. SECTT. 19 OCT. 1928 L. S. G. BRANCH 240

To R.RANGA RAO, ESQUIRE, B.A., B.L.,
Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
GENERAL Department, **BANGALORE.**

Thro' (The Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District.)

RR 8/11/28

Sir,

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER KOLAR. 22 OCT. 1928 GENERAL 5203

I have the honour to state that Mr.K.RameGowda, Member of the District Board brought in a proposition on 31st Octr. 27 that steps should be taken to regulate the business of the District Board meetings and of interpellations and propositions and that with this object a Committee be appointed to frame rules.

2. In the meeting held on 5th November 1927, the subject was referred to the Standing Committee for framing suitable Rules. The Committee met on the 7th Dec.1927 and adopted the draft rules made by the President with certain modifications. As regards the conduct of business at the meetings, the Rules issued with Government Notification No.L.5470-L.B.25-26-55 dated the 5th February 1927 were considered adequate.

3. The rules as modified by the Standing Committee were placed before the Board in their meeting of April 1928 when it was resolved to have the copies circulated to the members. In pursuance of this resolution copies were distributed to the mmmbers. For want of time, the consideration of the subject was deferred in the meetings of the Board held in May and August 1928.

4. The Rules were considered by the Board in their meeting of the 11th instant and they were adopted. Copy of their resolution is enclosed together with 2 copies of the draft Rules.

5. I request that the Rules may be sanctioned by Government.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

C.S.Gopala Rao
President,
District Board, Kolar.

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Memo

Forwarded with Compliments.

Dated 29/9/28

W.V.T. Blake
Dy. Comm.r
Kolar Dt

PROCEEDINGS OF THE KOLAR DISTRICT BOARD MEETING
HELD ON THE 11th October 1928.

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No. 5

Read Draft Rules and Interpellations and propositions.

Resolution. A P P R O V E D.

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"EXTRACT"

C.Gopala Rao

PRESIDENT,
District Board Kolar,

G.R..S VI G 34]

SUBJECT.....

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Diary No. of letter replied to L 2401

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue 20.12.28

Signed by mr 20.12.28

May this be

i Printed ? as regards rules for meetings

ii treated as a standing order ?

iii published in the Gazette, English Part ?

iv translated ?

v placed at the disposal of the press ?

vi published in the Gazette, Kannada Part ? N

Section LB

File No. 104-28.

Serial No. 2

Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

Read— Letter no A & L 16 Encl'd 18.10.28 from the DLBd Kolar forwarding for sanction draft rules framed by the Dist Board for nomination & qualifications & disqualifications at DLBd meetings & for the conduct of business at & stating that the Board have considered that the rules framed with Order Thereon—No. are adequate.

no. no L 5470 LB 25-26-55 dy 5.2.27 (for regulating the business of the DLBd meetings)

order no L 4404 dy 20/12/28

Sec Report

Order No 29.

The draft rules ~~or Resolutions~~
are approved with the following
modifications noted below: —

Resolutions

(a) Rule 2 will be modified
as shown under: —
(Here enter the rule with the changes
noted in pencil)

(b) In rule 6, the time limit laid
down for individual speeches
should be raised from time to time
when the House may be permitted 10 Minutes
ten minutes, for the President
may be empowered to extend
the time in proper cases.

2. Interpellations

(a) Rule 1 shall be modified
as below: —

1. Subject to the conditions
& restrictions ~~contained in~~ specified in the
following rule
~~The following rules~~ any
Member may ask questions
on any matters connected
with the ~~Post & Administration~~ administration of the
Post & Telegraph Department.
~~a Subject to the conditions~~
~~restrictions specified in~~

List of enclosures.

Copied by

Examined by

~~Rule~~

WD 1888—GPB—1,000,00—21-12-21

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

(*Continuation sheet draft form.*)

modified as below: —

A member of the D.B. - - - -

to its President shall submit in full the question which he wishes to ask.

(c) The following shall be substituted for Rule 3: —

(Here enter the Bangalore (No. 3) Rule)

(d) The following shall be inserted as Rule No. 10.

'10. The interpellation shall be taken up before the ordinary business of the agenda commences.

(3) Both the Rules as approved above may be printed & a dozen copies of each sent to Govt for reference & record.

WD 2230—GPB—1,00,000—23-7-20

To the President D.B.
(Thro' Cheetham) Kolar with the draft Rules

11/12

for Govt's approval

Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

Read :-

Letter No.H.C.16 dated 18th October 1928 from the President, District Board, Kolar forwarding for sanction draft rules approved by the District Board for moving propositions and interpellations at District Board meetings and stating that as regards rules for the conduct of business at meetings the Board have considered that the rules issued with notification No.L.5470/V-8,25-26-55 dated 5th February 1927 are adequate.

Order No L 4404-1 LB/DC-28-2 of 20/12/28

The draft rules are approved with the following modifications :-

Resolutions.

a. Rule 2 will be modified as shown under :-

" (a) It shall be in the form of a specific recommendation, shall be clearly and precisely expressed and shall raise a definite issue and,

(b) It shall not contain arguments, inferences, ironical expressions or defamatory statements, nor shall it refer to the conduct or character of persons except in their official or public capacity. "

b. In Rule 6, the time limit laid down for individual speeches shall be raised from five to ten minutes when the mover may be permitted 10 minutes or the President may be empowered to extend the time in proper cases.

2. Interpellations.

(a) Rule 1 shall be modified as below :-

" 1. Subject to the conditions and restrictions specified in the following rules any member may ask questions on any matters connected with the administration of the District Board. "

(b) Rule 2 shall be modified as below :-

" A member of the District Board who wishes to ask a -

question shall give at least ten clear days' notice in writing to its President and shall submit in full the question which he wishes to ask,"

(c) The following shall be substituted for Rule 3 :-

"3 (i) No question shall be asked unless it complies with the following conditions, namely :-

(a) it shall be so framed as to be merely a request for information;

(b) it shall not be of excessive length;

(c) it shall not contain arguments, inferences, ironical expressions, or defamatory statements, nor shall it refer to the conduct or character of persons except in their official or public capacity ;

(d) it shall not ask for an expression of an opinion or the solution of a hypothetical proposition; and

(e) if a question contains a statement, the member asking it must make himself responsible for the accuracy of the statement.

(ii) (a) When any question is not framed in accordance with the above rule, the President may either himself amend it in such a way as to render it admissible and ask if the member accepts the amendment or may cause it to be returned to the member concerned for the purpose of amendment ;

(b) if the member does not, within such time as the President may fix in this behalf, resubmit the question duly amended or intimate his acceptance of the President's amendment, the question shall be deemed to have been withdrawn. "

(d) The following shall be inserted as Rule No.10.

"10. The interpellations shall be taken up before the ordinary business ~~as~~ on the agenda commences."

(3) Both the rules as approved above may be printed and a dozen copies of each submitted to Government for reference and record.

For General Secretary to Govt.

To

The President, District Board, Kolar with the draft rules. through the Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District.

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RULES AS TO THE MOVING OF RESOLUTIONS.

1. A Member of a District Board who wishes to move a resolution shall give ten clear days8 notice of his intention to its President and such notice shall contain the resolution which he wishes to move:

   Provided that the President may allow a resolution to be entered on the list of the business with shorter notice than ten days.

2. No resolution shall however be admissible which does not comply with the following conditions namely:--

   a) It shall be clearly and precisely expressed and shall raise a definite issue and,

   b) It shall not contain arguments, inferences, ironical expressions of defematory statements, nor shall it refer to the conduct or character of persons except in their official or public capacity.

3. The President shall decide on the admissibility of a resolution and may disallow any resolution on the ground that it relates to a matter which is not connected with the District Board administration, and shall disallow any resolution which in his opinion controvenes the rules.

4. A resolution which has been admitted by the President shall be entered in the list of business.

5. i) A Member in whose name a resolution appears on the list of business shall, when called, on either
   a) withdraw the resolution in which case he shall confine himself to a mere statement to that effect; or move the
   b). resolution.

   ii) If the Member when called on is absent or proposes to withdraw or is unwilling to move the resolution, or if he shall have ceased to be member before the meeting, any member present at the meeting may move the resolution; and if no member moves it, it shall be considered to have been withdrawn.

   iii) Every resolution or amendment which has been moved shall be seconded; otherwise it shall not be discussed.

6. No Speech, except with the permission of the President, shall exceed five minutes in duration;
   Provided that the mover of a resolution, when moving the same, may speak for ten minutes.

7. The discussion of a resolution shall be strictly limited to the subject of the resolution.

8. When a resolution is under discussion any member may, subject to rules 2,3,6 and 7 move an amendment to such resolution.

9. (i) A member who has moved a resolution or an amendment to a resolution shall not withdraw the same except by leave of the Board.
   (2) NoResolution or amendment duly moved shall be permitted to be withdrawn except with the permission of the President.

10. (i) When an amendment to any resolution is moved, or when two or more such amendments are moved, the President shall, before taking the sense of the Board thereon, state or read to the Board the terms of the original motion and of the amendment or amendments proposed.

(2) Ordinarily the President shall put amendments to the Vote in the order in which they have been moved and lastly the original motion if all the amendments are lost. But it shall be in his discretion in any case to put to the vote the original motion and the amendments in such order as he thinks fit.

11. When any resolution involving several points has been discussed, it shall be in the discretion of the President to divide the resolution and put each or any point separately to the vote as he may think fit.

Explanation: In the rules ' President ' includes the person for the time being in charge of the Office of the President under sections..... ..... and the Vice President or Member who presides at the meeting under section .....

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RULES FOR THE INTERPELLATION OF PRESIDENTS.

1. No question shall be asked or answered at a meeting of the District Board as to any matters not connected with the District Board -- Administration, and no question shall be asked except as to matters of fact and the answer shall be confined to a statement of facts. Except as thus provided, any question may be asked by any member of the District Board subject to the following conditions and restrictions.

2. A member of the District Board who wishes to ask a question shall give at least ten clear days' notice in writing to its President, submitting in full the question which he wishes to ask.

3. In order that a question may be admissible it must satisfy the -- following conditions namely:--

i) It must not publish any name or statement not strictly necessary to make the question intelligible.
2) If a question contains a statement, the member asking it must make himself responsible for the accuracy for the statement.
3) It must not contain arguments and inferences, ironical expressions or defamatory statements.
4) It must not ask for an expression of opinion or the solution of an abstract legal question or of a hypothetical proposition.
5) It may not be asked as to the character or conduct of any person except in ~~his~~ official or public capacity.
6) It must not be excessive in length, and
7) a question once fully answered may not be asked, again.

4. The President shall decide on the admissibility of a question and may disallow any question when in his opinion it is an abuse of the right of questioning or where in his opinion it cannot be answered consistently with the public interests, and shall disallow any question which, in his opinion, contravenes the rules and in such case the question shall not be entered in the Proceedings of the Board.

5. The President, may, if he thinks fit, allow a question to be asked with shorter notice than ten days, and may in any case require longer notice, if he thinks fit, or extend, if necessary, the time for -- answering a question.

6. Questions allowed by the President shall be entered in the agenda paper for the day and the President shall answer every question so entered, if not previously withdrawn by the member putting it, in the order in which it shands in the paper before any other business is entered upon at the meeting.

Provided that the President may, at his discretion on the ground of public interest, answer a question on the Agenda paper, even though the question may have been withdrawn.

7. Any member may put a supplementary question for the purpose of further elucidating any matter of fact regarding which an answer has been given.

Provided that the President shall disallow any supplementary question, if in his opinion, it infringes the rules as to the subject-matter of questions.

Provided also that he may decline to answer a supplementary question without notice, in which case it may be put only in the form of a fresh question at a subsequent meeting of the Board.

8. No discussion shall be permitted in the respect of any question or of any answer given to a question asked under the rules.

9. The question asked and the answer given to it shall be entered in the Proceedings of the.

Explanation:

In these rules ' President ' includes the person for the time being in charge of the Office of the President under Section .....

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and the Vice President or Member who presides at the meeting under Section.....